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The following is a full translation of the above document:

TRILATERAL TRADE

Regarding trilateral trade involving embargoed commodities shipped from countries of Western Europe to those behind the iron curtain, we have the following additional information:

The following amounts of Belgian steel sheets arrived in the port of Antwerp for re-shipment to Rostok: 825,000 kilograms supplied by LaRochette of Liege; 390,000 kilograms supplied by Ougree-Marie of Ougree. [REDACTED] 1952) 25X1C

In Tangiers, the "Universal Trading Company" offers tires for heavy-duty trucks and is looking for a shipping firm. The goods are in Taku-Bar and are said to have come from France. Commodity specifications: 100 centimeters x 30 centimeters; weight, including inner tubes, 60 kilograms. [REDACTED] 1952) 25X1C

"Metalimpex" of Budapest, is completing negotiations to obtain 13,000 tons of structural iron shapes, reportedly of French origin. The goods will transit through either Antwerp or Rotterdam. Source promises to obtain more information on this subject. [REDACTED] 1952) 25X1C

Abst intends to leave PSAL and become a partner of Pierre Van Hoof. The latter is the principal partner of the Belgo-Continentale firm at 82 Pelicanstraat in Antwerp. This is a small dispatching firm which serves as a front for illegal exports of industrial diamonds to the countries of the Soviet Bloc. It is expected that the Belgo-Continentale agency will become a joint stock company in February or, at the latest, in March 1952. The transaction will be completed on the following premise: Czechoslovakia and Hungary need industrial diamonds. Van Hoof can supply them provided that the agency will replace PSAL as intermediary.

Abst thinks that the recall of Kolodziej took place as a result of the intrigue and intervention of Van Hoof at the Hague. Kolodziej had been on friendly terms with Lieberman of PSAL. [REDACTED] 1952) 25X1C

Iron ore imported from Sweden is often unloaded at Polish ports immediately and trans-shipped to the USSR or Czechoslovakia. ~~at once~~. Seamen state that they personally witnessed such transshipments and know many other eye witnesses. These operations were observed in 1949, 1950, and 1951. [REDACTED] 1952) 25X1C

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